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Hotels, Saloons, &c.

T. SMITH,
BOOMERANG INN,
LANGLEY ALLEY.
THE BEST QUALITY OF
WINES & LIQUORS,
AND THE
Finest Brands of CIGARS,
Will always be on hand at the BAR. ja11

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,
STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD
Victoria, B.C.
Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor.

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1; Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in advance.
Fire-proof Safe in the House.
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THE
GRANDPACIFIC HOTEL
CHICAGO.
The Largest and most Complete Hotel in the World.

The Lessees (well known as the proprietors of the Sherman House before its destruction in the memorable conflagration of October 8th and 9th, 1871,) take pleasure in announcing the completion of this new enterprise, which is now open under their personal management for the accommodation of guests.
GAGE BROS & RICE,
Lessees for Twenty Years.
CHICAGO, June 1st, 1873. jy1dw

ANGEL HOTEL,
LANGLEY STREET,
LATE BAILEY'S, LATE EBERHARDT'S.
CHARLES MORTON, PROPRETOR.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above, will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of his patrons, and he hopes by so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal share of patronage accorded his predecessor.

The Scale of Charges:

Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
do do per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
A Fireproof Safe in the House. au28 dwtf

Colonial Hotel and Restaurant,
GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA B.C.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Restaurant, will spare no effort to keep the establishment in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.
None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
mh7 LUGAS & RIDON Proprietors.

ECKSTEIN HOTEL
South Saanich, West Road, second house from the bridge, opp. East Cross Road.

THIS HOTEL IN NOW OPEN FOR the reception of Guests, where they will find every comfort of a good country house.
The table is well supplied. A few well furnished Bedrooms.
The Bar is supplied with Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
A Boat kept for the accommodation of fishing parties. Gentlemen fond of fishing will find plenty of sport, as the Arm abounds in fish.
PICNIC PARTIES ACCOMMODATED.
Groceries, Provisions, Dry Goods and General Merchandise, for cash, or produce taken in exchange.
my28 L. ECKSTEIN Propr.

DRIARD HOUSE.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM HIS patrons at home and abroad, that having re-opened the
Driard House
He intends in future to conduct it on the basis of a first-class Hotel, and to make it as comfortable as any other on the Pacific Coast. He also wishes to state that the very
Best Qualities of
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS
Will be sold at the Bar.
H. CAZABAN, Proprietor.
jy10 View Street, Victoria, B. C.

Pearson's
CARIBOO EXPRESS LINE STAGES

WILL LEAVE YALE ON MONDAY, APRIL 21st, arriving at Barkerville on the Saturday following, making
WEEKLY TRIPS,
And connecting with the steamers at Quesnel and Yale.
Passengers will require to leave Victoria by steamer Enterprise on Friday of each week.
Treasure Shipped
And a general
Commission and Express Business Done.
E. PEARSON & BRO.
W. J. JEFFREE,
ap13 d Agent, Victoria.

GREENWOOD & MORLEY
Manufacturers of
SODAWATER, LEMONADE,
Ginger Beer, Bitters,
AND ALL KINDS OF
Syrups.
Next the American Hotel, Lower Yates st.
P.S.—All orders promptly attended to. ap17 m

Boots and Shoes.

VICTORIA.
BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY
Government street,
W. HEATHORN, Prop'r.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF BOOTS and Shoes now on hand, all made on the premises from the best materials and suited to the wants of the Province.
Wholesale Agents—Welch, Rithet & Co., Wharf street.
Boots & Shoes made to measure, Leather and Findings for sale. mh4

R. MAYNARD,
Occidental Buildings, Fort Street.
Just Received Per PACIFIC,
SHOE LEATHER & FINDINGS
IN GREAT VARIETY,
Uppers of every Description and Quality
READY FOR BOTTOMING.
BOOTS & SHOES MADE TO ORDER.
Cash Paid for Hides. de30

LAWRENCE & BAILEY,
FORWARDERS
—AND—
COMMON CARRIERS.

GOODS STORED IN FIREPROOF WAREHOUSE,

BEG TO NOTIFY SHIPPERS AND UP-Country dealers that we are prepared to
Contract for Freight from 20,000 to 500,000 lbs,
to the following places:
LYTTON,
YONA'S FERRY,
KAMLOOPS,
CLINTON,
SODA CREEK,
& BARKERVILLE
AT THE LOWEST GOING RATES.
Having the
Largest Teams in the Colony,
Together with
New SELECTED WAGONS
Insures the Delivery of Cargoes in Perfect Order and with Dispatch.
RECLAMATIONS PROMPTLY PAID
Can move at any given time 75,000 to 150,000 pounds.

Parties having Goods to Forward will save time and money by consigning to our care.

We will not be Responsible for Liquids packed in Glass or Tin unless Specially Insured.

Any person delivering goods to our Teamsters will please sign voucher for same.

Mr. ARTHUR McLINDEN is our duly authorized Agent. All business transacted by him on our account will be legal.

REFERENCES IN VICTORIA—Hudson Bay Company, Lowe, Stahlschmidt & Co., Findlay, Durham & Brodie, H. Grunbaum & Bro., C. Strouss & Co., P. McQuade & Co.
LAWRENCE & BAILEY.
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NOTICE.

WHEREAS A PETITION FOR AN ADjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 29th day of July, 1873, filed in the Supreme Court of British Columbia in Bankruptcy, at Victoria, against Herman Lewin, of Yates street, in the City of Victoria, Tobacconist Dealer and Chapman, under which he has been adjudged a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that the said Herman Lewin is hereby required to surrender himself to Charles E. Pooley, Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar on Wednesday, Twenty-seventh day of August, 1873, at noon precisely, at the Supreme Court Office, Victoria; and also to the Court at the public sitting to be appointed by the Court for the said Court for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, of which sitting due notice will be given in the "Government Gazette" and BRITISH COLONIST. At the first meeting of Creditors the Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's estate and effects. At the public sitting proofs of debts of creditors will also be received, and the Bankrupt will be requested to submit himself to be examined and to make a full disclosure of all his estate and effects and to finish his examination.

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the said Bankrupt or that have any of his effects not to deliver the same but to Charles E. Pooley, Official Assignee, whom the Court has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Robertson & Johnson, Solicitors, of Victoria, B.C.
au7 C. E. POOLEY, Registrar.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Richard Brodrick and Francis Garesche under the name of R. Brodrick & Co., in this City, has been dissolved on the 12th inst, by mutual consent, Francis Garesche having conveyed his interest to Julius F. E. Englehardt, of this city.
Richard Brodrick is authorized to settle all outstanding business of the late firm.
RICHARD BRODRICK,
FRANCIS GARESCHE,
Victoria, July 19th, 1873. jy19

Co-Partnership Notice.

RICHARD BRODRICK AND JULIUS F. E. Englehardt, of this City, have entered into Partnership under the name of R. Brodrick & Co.
RICHARD BRODRICK,
J. F. E. ENGLEHARDT.
Victoria, July 19th, 1873. jy19

TAKE A STROLL AND SEE THE
New Cheap Store,
Corner of Store and Cormorant Streets,
Where you can get everything
Cheap for Cash.
jy20 ROWLAND E. GREEN.

Insurance.

Standard Life Assurance COMPANY.
Head Office, 3 and 5 George st., Edinburgh
LONDON { 82 King William Street, and 3 Pall Mall East (West End Office.)
Eighth Division of Profits.

THE REPORT of the investigation of the Company's affairs and Division of Profits as at 15th November, 1870, can be had on application at any of the Company's Branch Offices or Agencies.
THE COMPANY has divided Profits on Eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.
THE SURPLUS FUND divided among the policyholders in 1870 amounted to the large sum of £331,591 13s.
ANNUAL INCOME upwards of £700,000.
INVESTED FUNDS upwards of £4,000,000.
ROBERT BURNABY,
jy15 Agent, Victoria.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE Insurance Company.
Established, 1809.
CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING.
Accumulated Funds, ... £3,286,126.
LOSSES SETTLED WITH
Promptitude and Liberality.
T. ALLSOP & Co., Agents,
ap6 Government street.

THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y
Of San Francisco.
MARINE.
Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.
For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Profits, &c. For Information, Rates of Premium, &c., &c., apply to
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & Co.
ja16 3m Agents.

Imperial Fire Insurance COMPANY.
1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,
LONDON,
Instituted, 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.
Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.
Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia And Washington Territory.
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CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION!
OF CANADA.
Head Office, Masonic Hall, Toronto.
CAPITAL.....$500,000.
Stock and Mutual Plans Combined.
Deposited with Dominion Government for Security of Policyholders, $50,000.

PRESIDENT—Sir Francis Hincks, K. C. M. G. Finance Minister of Canada.
VICE PRESIDENTS—Hon. Wm P. Howland, C. B., Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario; Hon. Wm. McMaster, President Canadian Bank of Commerce;
Issued—Over 500 Policies first half-year.
This Association issues all the most approved forms of Policies—all non-forfeiting by charter. Its principle of non-forfeiture more favorable to assured than that of any other company.
A strong company which combines strength of capital, character and local influence and provides life insurance at the lowest safe rates without delusive promises of dividends, making a good dividend CERTAIN by decreasing the premium.
By its organization it enables each policyholder to deal with his own neighbors, stockholders in the company—men whom he knows will do justice to his family after he is dead, and also provides that its funds will be invested to develop the resources of his own country and locality.
A company with capital and breadth enough to be safe beyond question, with national extent and prestige, and yet a HOME company throughout the Dominion.
WILLIAM McCABE,
General Manager, Toronto.
The fullest information will be cheerfully furnished on application to
JOHN ROBSON, Government st., Victoria, General Agent for British Columbia and Washington Territory, oc22

CONTINENTAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF NEW YORK.
The Leading Comp'y of the United States
ASSETS, January 1st, 1873..$6,059,201.
DEATH CLAIMS paid in cash, 1872....$553,250
POLICIES issued in 1872.....12,010
INSURING.....$22,716,000
J. B. MATTHEWS, ESQ., M. R. C. S., L. S. A., Langley street, Victoria, Medical Adviser,
All the desirable forms of Policies issued, Annuities granted. All business done on the Cash plan.
Each Policy specifies its own nonforfeiture condition
Dividends paid annually IN CASH after second year of Policy.
All the usual restrictions on occupation and travel are abolished.
For further information as to Company's standing, list of Officers and Directors, &c., on Messrs
PLUMMER & PAGDEN, Victoria, B. C.
Agents for the Province of British Columbia.
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Phœnix Fire Assurance COMPANY,
LOMBARD STREET AND CHARING CROSS,
LONDON.
Established, 1782.
For Insuring every kind of Property in all Parts of the World from Loss or Damage by Fire.

THE PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY with which its engagements are always met by this Company are well known, and the importance of its relations with the Public may be estimated from the fact that since its establishment it has paid more than Nine Millions Sterling in discharge of claims for Losses by Fire.
The security offered to the Public by the Phœnix Office is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large invested capital of the Company the whole fortunes of numerous proprietors composed of some of the most opulent merchants and others in the United Kingdom.
Annual and short time Insurances are effected upon all kinds of property in Vancouver Island and British Columbia on the most favorable terms.
Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London.
Rates and Particulars of Insurance may be had on application to THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent,
mn1 Government street opp. Masonic Hall.

Post Office.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.
Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 9:30 A.M; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster	Wednesday and Saturday 4:30 P.M.	Tuesday and Friday 9:30 A.M.
Cariboo and Intermediate Offices	Saturday, 4:30 P.M.	Friday, 9:30 A.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

MONEY ORDERS.
MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.
OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.
HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. ja1

YAKIMA BEEF!

PERSONS WISHING TO CONTRACT for the delivery of Cattle in any part of British Columbia or at the Okanagan Custom House, will consult their best interests by writing to
A. J. SPLAWN.
Yakima City
my30dw Yakima County, Washington Territory.

ARTHUR STRONG,
General Contractor and Dust Mover.
CESSPOOLS CLEANSED AT THE SHORTest notice. Regular days for moving dust—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Is prepared to do kinds of job work in his line at reasonable rates.
Orders left at Isaac Johnson's in Trounce Alley will be promptly attended to.
Residence, Discovery street, next door to Victoria Brewery. ap12

LONDON JOURNAL.

London Journal Illustrated.—Original and Deeply interesting Domestic Novels by the first Authors.
London Journal—Every month—Copyright Colored Fashion-plate, designed expressly by renowned Continental Astists.
London Journal—Every Month—Monster Ladies Supplement of Fashions, Patterns and Needlework.
London Journal—Every Month—Chronicle of Fashion, describing all the most recent events in the world of Fashion.
London Journal—Original and popular music Vocal and Instrumental.
London Journal—Short Tales—interesting and exciting.
London Journal—General articles and Con Literary, Social, Political, Topographical and Historical subjects.
London Journal—The best selection of witty and Laughable Jokes.
London Journal—Thousands of useful Receipts for the Household.
London Journal—Charming Poetry, original and select.
London Journal—Scientific and Statistical Information for Architects, Engineers and Mechanics.
London Journal—Voluminuso Correspondence every topic.
London Journal—The best, cheapest largest Periodical with the largest circulation.
London Journal in Monthly Parts, Sevenpence.
London Journal Half-yearly Volumes, Four Shillings and Sixpence.
London Journal—Volumes 1 to 53 are now ready bound in cloth.
London Journal may be had of all Booksellers in the Colonies at a slight advance on the London publishing price.
London Journal—Parts and Volumes are always in print.
London Journal Office, 332, Strand London.
London Journal—The Proprietor begs his Colonial readers to obtain his Journal through the Local Agents.

LEA & PERRINS'
CELEBRATED
Worcestershire Sauce.
DECLARED BY CONNOISSEURS
TO BE
THE ONLY GOOD SAUCE.
CAUTION AGAINST FRAUD.
The success of this most delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to
ASK FOR LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE
and to see that their names are upon the wrapper, label, stopper and bottle.
Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire sauce, upon he wrapper and labels of which the name of Lea & Perrin have been forged. L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceedings against Manufacturers and Vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.
Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce, and see Name on Wrapper, Label, Bottle and Stopper.
Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse & Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by Grocers and Oilmen universally.
To be obtained of Messrs Janion, Rhodes & Co.
jo 15 1y law.

DINNEFORD'S SOLUTION OF MAGNESIA.
DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA
Is the great remedy for
Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations and Bilious Affections;
IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT, GRAVEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLANTS OF THE BLADDER.
And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of nancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.
Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.
N. B. Ask for DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA, and use DINNEFORD'S Friction Gloves and Belts.

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM VICTORIA Mr. W. F. HERRE holds my Power of Attorney and will attend to my business of the Driard House.
Victoria, V.I., Aug. 7, 1873. H. CAZABAN. au8

The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL GENeral Meeting of the Company was held at Edinburgh on the 29th April, 1873.

RESULTS COMMUNICATED IN THE REPORT:

AMOUNT PROPOSED FOR ASSURANCE during the year 1872 (2353 Proposals)	£1,426,665 3 4
AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1872 (1965 Policies)	£1,190,453 10 0
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1872	£40,660 13 2
CLAIMS BY DEATH during the year 1872, exclusive of Bonus Additions	£334,249 16 5
AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the last five years	£5,627,562 1 1
SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November, 1872, (of which £983,419:11s: is Re-assured with other offices)	£17,244,084 8 2

Revenue, upwards of Seven Hundred Thousand Pounds per Annum.
Assets, upwards of Four Millions Sterling.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMpany was established in Edinburgh in 1825. The Acts of Parliament, 2 deg. & 3 deg. Gul. IV. cap. 81, and 8 deg. and 9 deg. Vict. cap. 75, also 22 deg. and 23 deg. Vict. cap. 27, have been granted for the purpose of its constitution and for the regulation of its affairs. It has been conducted with much success, and that result may be attributed not only to the extensive and influential connections of the Company, but more particularly to the liberality of its dealings, and to the constant attention paid by the Directors to the adoption of improvements and facilities in connection with the contract of Life Assurance.

BONUS ADDITIONS TO POLICIES.
The Company have divided Profits on eight occasions, in 1835, 1840, 1845, 1850, 1855, 1860, 1865, and 1870, when very large additions were made to Policies. The next division of Profits will be made in 1875.

Tables of Rates and all further information can be obtained by application at the office of the Company in Victoria, B.C., or at any of the Agencies at home or abroad.
WILL: THOS: THOMSON, Manager.
D. CLUNIE GREGOR, Secretary.
Board of Directors at Victoria, B.C.
THOS. HARRIS, Esq., Ex-Mayor;
KENNETH M'KENZIE, Esq., Craigflower;
THOMAS LETT STAHLSCHMIDT, Esq;
EDGAR MARVIN, Esq., Merchant.
Agent and Secretary to the Board.
ROBERT BURNABY,
EDINBURGH—3 and 5 George Street, (Head Office.)
LONDON— 82 King William Street, E.C. and 3 Pall Mall, East, S. W.
DUBLIN—66 Upper Sackville Street. je14 1w

The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
GOVERNOR:
HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.
DEPUTY GOVERNORS:
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.
PRINCIPAL OFFICES.
3 and 5 George Street, Edinburgh.
82 King William Street, } London.
3 Pall Mall, East, }
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.
MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E
COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Clunie Gregor.
Total Amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 2.
Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.
AGENT IN VICTORIA.
ROBERT BURNABY,
je15 Government Street.

WILLIAMS' STAGES

WILL COMMENCE TO-DAY MAKING Regular Trips between Victoria and Esquimalt and Return; and Victoria and Saanich, and return as follows:
Carrying MAILS & PASSENGERS.
Will leave Victoria for Esquimalt—Daily at 8 a.m., 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Will leave Esquimalt for Victoria—Daily at 9:30 a.m., 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.
Will leave Victoria for Saanich every Wednesday at 9 a. m.
Return—Will leave Saanich for Victoria Same Day at 4 p.m.
ap3 J. W. WILLIAMS, Prop'r.

A. Casamayou & Co.,
YATES ST., VICTORIA.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLEsale Dealers in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS
mh18 And French Preserves.

ON HING,
Dealer in
Groceries, Dry Goods,
Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps
HAS REMOVED
To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.
Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. jy11 2m

LOST.

AT THE BALL ON BOARD H.M.S. REpulse, a BLACK LACE SHAWL. Word can be left at this office. au14

Notices.

Re Jas. McKenzie, deceased
Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO, OR HAVing claims against the Estate of Mr. James McKenzie, late of Kamloops, B C, and of Colville, Washington Territory, merchant, deceased, are requested to pay such debts or send particulars of such claims to Mrs. Christina McKenzie, Kamloops, B.C., the administratrix of the deceased.
ROBERTSON & JOHNSON, Barristers, &c.
Victoria, June 10, 1873. je11 1mdw

Mail Contract.

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE POSTMASTER General will be received at Victoria until noon on Friday the 3d October, for the conveyance of H. M. Mails, on a proposed contract for One, Two or Three Years, at the option of the Postmaster General, once per week each way, between Victoria and Nanaimo, and once per fortnight each way, between Nanaimo and Comox, from the 1st January next.

Conveyance to be made in a good and sufficient steamboat, subject at all times to the approval of the Postmaster General.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen, and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office at Victoria.
JOHN DEWE,
Chief Post Office Inspector.
Post Office Inspector's Office, Ottawa, 17th June, 1873. jy16 2m

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between JOHN STAFFORD and GEORGE HICKIN as the firm of Stafford & Hicken, Butchers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, GEORGE HICKIN retiring on account of ill health and in favor of Mr. J. C. HUTCHINSON, who is now partner in the business with J. STAFFORD.
All parties having any claims against the old firm are requested to present the same at the Queen's Market for payment: and all those indebted to the said firm are respectfully solicited to pay their bills. J. Stafford, George Hickin or Lawrence Goodacre will receipt for the same.
J. STAFFORD,
G. HICKIN.
July 1st, 1873. jy9

MR. HELMCKEN
MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening. mh4

City of Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT COPIes of the Municipal Real Estate Assessment Roll (for the current year) of the extended City Limits are deposited at the following places, viz:
Council Chambers, Broad street;
Post Office, Government street;
Campbell's Corner, Government and Yates sts
Court House, James Bay;
Rock Bay House, Work street;
Park Hotel, Beacon Hill Park;
School House, top of Fort street.
That the Court of Revision will hold its final sitting on Thursday next, the 31st inst., at the Council Chambers, Broad street, at 8 o'clock p. m.; and that all persons intending to appeal must send in notice of such appeal in writing on or before that date.
[EXCERPT from The Municipality Act, 1872, Sub. Sec. 2 of Sec. 24.]
The person or persons so assessed, if he or they shall complain of his or their assessment, shall, within one month after the time fixed for returning said Roll, notify, in writing, the Clerk of his or their grounds of complaint. WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Council Chambers, 24th July, 1873. jy27

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWNBERG.

Shorthorns, Etc.,
W. F. TOLMIE OFFERS FOR SALE—
One Grade Shorthorn Yearling Bull.....Price $75
do do do do 60
Several Grade Shorthorn Heifers, 1 and 2 years old, Price Moderate, according to quality.
One Large Handsome Boar (from England) Berkshire Breed.
The Thoroughbred, high pedigree'd, rich roan young Bull, Central Pacific, is allowed limited service. Terms $25 without guarantee. Apply on the premises.
CLOVERDALE, Saanich Road, 1½ miles from Victoria.
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OFFICE and DEPOT
OF THE
NAPA SODA SPRINGS,
Lower Yates street, Victoria.

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We, the undersigned Physicians, practising in the city of San Francisco, have examined the result of the analysis made by Dr L. Lansweert, Practical Chemist, of the Napa Soda Springs of Napa. The water, according to this examination, possesses aperient antacid and tonic properties, which cannot fail to be very beneficial in the treatment of chronic diseases, and affording a pleasant, healthful and invigorating beverage.

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Shortest Route Across the Atlantic.

The publication of the Parliamentary Committee's Report will be a sufficient justification for our reverting thus early to a subject involving Canadian supremacy on the Atlantic. The reader will not have forgotten that, during last session of the Dominion Parliament, a Committee was appointed to enquire into and report upon the shortest route for mails and passengers between Europe and America The report of that Committee has been printed and is before us; and although, for want of time and fuller information, the Committee thought proper to reserve their opinion in so far as the railway across Newfoundland, suggested by Mr. Sandford Fleming, is concerned, there is, nevertheless, much that is of the deepest interest and importance in the Report. It sets out with these fundamental propositions:—1st, That the length of the ocean voyage may easily be reduced by at least one-third, or, say, in round numbers, from 800 to 1000 nautical miles. 2nd, That the rate of speed now obtained might be materially increased (probably to the extent of not less than two miles per hour) if vessels were employed for the purpose of conveying mails and first-class passengers only. 3rd, That by selecting some suitable point within the Territory of the Dominion, and using vessels specially constructed for the purpose, it would be quite practicable to gain from two to three days each way, in the passage from London to New York, and even more in the journey to other points in the interior of Canada and the United States. As respects the best point of departure within the Dominion, the Committee did not consider themselves as yet in a position to report authoritatively; but, setting aside for the time being the route across Newfoundland, they entertain little doubt that the selection will ultimately be between Louisburg on the one hand, and some port on the line of the Intercolonial Railroad, in the vicinity of Shippigan or Chatham, on the other. The Report presents, by carefully compiled tables, the distances and other advantages of the routes to these respective proposed points of departure, from which the following appears:—Taking fourteen miles an hour as the average speed, the time from London to Louisburg would be 159 hours, thence by rail to Quebec, 27 hours, making a total of 186 hours. The time from London to Shippigan would be 166 hours, then by rail to Quebec, 14 hours, making a total of 180 hours. It will be seen by these figures that, while the whole distance between London and Quebec via Louisburg is six hours greater than via Shippigan, yet the water distance, the grand point, is seven hours less by the former route. The Report says, Louisburg has the great advantage of being from 60 to 100 miles nearer Europe than Shippigan, and in the direct line of ocean travel between Europe and the northern ports of the United States, and of possessing large and valuable coal fields in its immediate vicinity where coaling could be effected at a lower rate than in any place in Britain or America, whilst ocean steamers touching at Shippigan would require to be supplied with fuel brought from a great distance. Then again, there is this objection to the Shippigan route that navigation in the Straits of Bellisle cannot well be reckoned on during more than half the year; whereas navigation to Louisburg is good at all times. The following passage in the report, which we give verbatim, is especially interesting:—"It may also be worthy of consideration whether a better port than Liverpool could not be found in England for this especial service. The Committee believe that the harbor of Milford Haven, which is only five hours by rail from London, and which is about 120 miles nearer America than Liverpool via Cape Clear and Louisburg, and nearly equi-distant by the more northerly route via Belleisle, possesses many advantages for this purpose, The harbor is understood to be perfectly accessible at all states of the tide, and being only 200 miles distant from Cape Clear, very little, if any time, would be lost by making it the regular point of departure, while the advantage of avoiding the double transhipment at Dublin and Holyhead would be of considerable moment to the passengers, the main objection to the route via Galway and Valentia having always been found in the necessity for this transhipment. As the distance from Milford Haven to Louisburg is barely 2,200 miles, it is obvious that if an average speed of 14 miles an hour can be obtained, the entire distance might be traversed without transhipment in 157 hours, or very little over six and a half days all told, the distance from same point to Shippigan being about six hours longer. Should it be found possible to maintain the higher rate of 16 miles per hour, the distance might be traversed in 138 hours, or a total period of 3¾ days, without transhipment." The reader will agree with us as to the growing importance of the subject treated. A short time since we alluded to the letter of a correspondent of a leading American journal, wherein it was frankly admitted that it is through Canada the United States must seek the shortest and best route to Europe. It is gratifying to see that Canada is awaking to a realizing sense of her immense maritime advantages.

NOVELTIES.—Music or Maps published, Visiting Cards printed from plates, Books, Cheques, etc., numbered and perforated; also, Charts or Drawing Paper mounted on linen, and the most difficult forms of ruling and book-binding executed with neatness and dispatch. R. T. WILLIAMS, at Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co.'s, Government street. * *

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Newtown Stewart Murder.

After two years the Crown has succeeded in obtaining a conviction of the murderer of the bank cashier of the Northern Bank of Belfast, established in the town of Tyrone, which has ever since had a sinister fame. It was only on a third trial that a conviction was obtained. The bank in Newtown Stewart, as the reader will remember, was in charge of two officers, the Manager, Mr. Strahan, and the Cashier, Mr. Glass, and was carried on in the parlors of a house, the drawing-room of which was let to a Miss Thompson. On the day of the murder Mr. Strahan was away, and the bank moneys were in sole charge of Mr. Glass. The bank closed at 3 o'clock, and shortly before this Mr. Glass was seen alive. At 4 o'clock attention was attracted by a stream of blood running under the door, which, on being opened, disclosed the Cashier lying dead in a pool of blood with his rifled cash-box beside him, and having evidently been killed by blows dealt him on the back of the head. Montgomery, the Inspector of Police, had been at the bank close upon three o'clock. He went to make a call on Miss Thompson. The prisoner fixed the hour of the visit at half-past three; the lady insisted thy hour was half-past two, when the bank was still open to all comers. Montgomery's hour would have enabled him to account for his time at the very moment of committing the murder. A visitor to the bank just before it closed alleged that he heard whispering in the bank parlor, which would agree with the theory that Montgomery had, when leaving Miss Thompson, stepped in to chat with Glass, with whom he was on terms of the most perfect intimacy, and was thus on the spot when the bank was entirely cleared of customers. Just after the bank was closed the servont opened the door to hail a man who was crying some shell-fish in the street, and, having purchased some, retired. Montgomery's case was that his visit to Miss Thompson corresponded with this interval. But several witnesses fixed the time of his exit much later. He came out of the bank without a sign of the murderer's work about him, and having chatted with the people of the town, proceeded to fish. On his return, he was called to assist in discovering the murderer, and dispatched telegrams in all directions to secure his apprehension. Concealed near the stream where he had been fishing was found the money stolen from the bank, together with an iron bolt, loaded with lead. When it was found impossible to trace any stranger to the town, and, therefore, to the bank, on the day of the murder, people remembered with a vividly awakened suspicion that Montgomery had been there about the time the deed was committed, and that he was deeply in debt and was being pressed by his creditors. It was also recalled that he telegraphed "Death under suspicious circumstances," when everybody that saw the murdered man and the room concluded that a foul murder had been committed. On the other hand the coolness of the prisoner's demeanor and his freedom from all sign of the bloody deed were facts on the other side. After a long trial for the third time, the jury, entirely on circumstantial evidence, gave their verdict of guilty, and in the excitement Montgomery confessed, accompanying what might otherwise have seemed the outcome of contrition with imputations on his wife and her family, which showed that it was the result of a frenzed recklessness.

New Advertisements.

ARRIVALS AT DRIARD HOUSE.

AUGUST 25TH.

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OF THIS YEAR'S CATCH,
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FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED—Two splendid
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Consignees are requested to call at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.
All goods left on the wharf after 4 o'clock p.m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners. JANION, RHODES & CO.
Victoria, B. C. Aug 24, 1873. au24

Victoria Water Works.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday next, the 29th August, for clearing as follows:
Contract No. 3—West side of Channel, between Beaver and Elk Lakes, and portion of West side of Elk Lake.
Contract No. 4—Portion of West side of Elk Lake.
Contract No. 5—North and East side of Elk Lake.
Contract No. 6—South side of Elk Lake and East side of Channel between Beaver and Elk Lakes.
Tenders may be given for the whole of the above or for any one of the contracts separately.
Plans and Specifications of the work can be seen at the office of the undersigned between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. each day.
JAS. D. ROBINSON,
City Council Chambers, Commissioner.
Broad st., Aug. 23, 1873. au24

New Advertisements.

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NEITHER CAPTAIN YEAMAN NOR the undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
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Cheaper than ever offered before in this Market. au20

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Stock, Meats of all kinds, and Vegetables,
Which they will offer at the VERY LOWEST RATES, and hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.
Goods delivered Free of Charge. Hotels, Families and Shipping supplied at Short Notice. au19

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
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SALOON AND READING-ROOM IN CONNECTION.
Apartments will be Let by the Day, Week or Month. au19

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Johnson street,
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VENISON and all kinds of Game in season. au15

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W. S. BOYLE, M. D.,
J. M. BRIMACOMBE, L. D. S.
au7 6m S. G. WEBSTER, L. D. S.

NOTICE

ROBERT WIN, WHO LEFT WATERFORD, Ireland, about 18 years ago, and was seen at Auckland, New Zealand, two years ago, by applying to Mr. JNO. HERRING, Victoria, will obtain information of advantage. au15

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Pants, Vests and Hats equally Low in Price.
To arrive by first and following steamers a splendid stock of
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Please look in at the Canadian Goods Depot and examine the Stock, which you will find in Price, Cut and Quality, the Cheapest and Best in Victoria.
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The Goods are manufactured from the Best Materials and by the most modern methods to suit the requirements of this Country; and as the prices will always be based on Small Profits and a Large Business, it is believed that a liberal and discriminating public will largely patronize this local industry. jy26

ACCOUNT

Showing the whole Amounts of the Debts and Assets of the Bank of British North America at the close of the year 1872; and showing also the amount of its notes payable on demand, which had been in circulation during every month of that year, together with the amount of Specie and other Assets, distinguishing each kind immediately available in every such month for the discharge of such notes. (Published pursuant to Royal Charter Incorporation.)

DEBTS (Sterling)

	£.	s.	d.
Circulation	479,910	19	8
Other Liabilities	3,825,045	9	7
	£4,304,956	9	3

ASSETS (Sterling)

	£.	s.	d.
Specie	598,515	18	11
Other Assets	4,948,663	10	8
	£5,547,169	9	7

1872.	Notes in Circulation.	Specie.	Notes of other Banks.
January	2,386,187 00	2,267,689 75	228,097 02
February	2,387,949 00	2,312,663 08	250,227 54
March	2,440,887 00	2,265,789 72	266,450 65
April	2,403,178 00	2,108,700 74	271,254 09
May	2,378,383 00	2,408,308 84	330,029 06
June	2,491,455 00	2,735,765 81	290,292 01
July	2,557,182 00	2,726,563 36	345,184 25
August	2,602,859 00	1,991,729 29	230,444 76
September	2,677,636 00	1,832,605 27	372,827 29
October	2,781,120 00	2,264,360 35	359,202 00
November	2,717,150 00	2,341,636 32	357,162 00
December	2,597,014 00	2,285,576 14	274,094 00

By order of the Court of Directors,
(Signed) R. W. BRADFORD, Secretary.
BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, LONDON, March 19, 1873. jy26

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Apply to
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LANGLEY, Aug. 6, 1873. au10

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By order of the Directors,
31st July, 1873. J. C. BALES, Secretary.
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To be sold **Cheap** to close consignments.
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HAVING DISPOSED OF MY DENTAL Practice to Mr. R. B. Thompson, and knowing him to be fully competent to discharge his duties as a Dentist, I have pleasure in recommending him to my former patients and all those who may favor him with their patronage. T. J. MILLS BOWDEN.
Victoria, Aug 7, 1873. au8

RULE

IF JAMES RULE, WHO WAS A SAILOR ON board the Peruvian frigate "Amazon," and left his ship at Panama in 1863, will communicate with MR A. P. PURVES, 21 Hill str Edinburgh, he will hear of something to his advantage. Anyone sending information by which he can be found or his death proved will be suitably rewarded. jy4 dw

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Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, AUG, 26TH, 1873.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ARRIVED.

Aug. 25—Schr Alert, Spring, West Coast
Stmr Prince Alfred, Sholl, San Francisco
Stmr North Pacific, Starr, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Aug 25--Stmr North Pacific, Starr, Pt Townsend
Schr Alert, Christensen, West Coast
Schr Surprise, Spring, West Coast.

IMPORTS.

Per stmr North Pacific--7 bxs fruit, 20 hd cattle, 2 cows and 2 calves

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmr North Pacific—Tollson, A J Muran, Miss Stevens, Stafford & Hutchinson, W A Franklin

PASSENGERS.

Per stmr North Pacific--Mr and Mrs Fowler, Mrs Wyckoff and 2 chdn, Mrs Van Bokkelen and child, J Feigh, Mrs Clark and chd, Mrs Crosby and chd, Miss Foster, Mr Barnes, wife and chd, Mansfield, and 20 others.

Police Court.

[Before A. C. Elliott, Esq., P.M.]

MONDAY, Aug. 21.

A drunk was discharged with a severe caution.*

[Before Judge Pemberton.]

Sperrao Merado, a Mexican, late seaman on board U. S. S. Shubrick, was charged with indecently exposing himself at Esquimalt on Sunday. He deprived himself of his clothing and rushed naked through the streets of Esquimalt town, where he was captured by constable McCarthy.

Coroner's Inquest.

Judge Pemberton yesterday empannelled a jury (of which Mr. Oram was foreman) to enquire into the cause of the death of James Greenalch, a native of Manchester, England, who was found drowned near Craigflower on Saturday. Mr. Martin Dodds testified that he saw him near the Gorge on Tuesday. He then had on his pants and a pair of boots, was wandering about and appeared to be out of his mind. Afterwards his boots were found by Mr. Dodds at a place where he is supposed to have jumped overboard. Mr. LeLievre testified that his son found the body floating in the water. The jury returned a verdict of "Death by drowning."

Weekly British Colonist.

This paper, ready for mailing• by the Prince Alfred, may be had this morning at the Bookstores and the Publication office. It contains the very latest news from all parts of the Province and foreign countries. Price, one bit.

TIMELY PRECAUTION.—The Department of Agriculture, in view of the near approach of Asiatic cholera has issued a circular to remind the public of the Dominion that the responsibility of dealing with the public health, with the exception of Quarantine, devolves on the local authorities, and the circular is issued in order to avoid any misapprehension or possible dependence upon the action of the Department of Agriculture. Enclosed with the circular is a Report of a Medical Conference, held in 1866, at the request of the Government of the late Province of Canada, which contains valuable information and advice with respect to, and preventing the outbreak of, the disease and successfully grappling with it when encountered.

LIGHT.—Capt Cooper has, we understand, received instructions from the Marine Department, at Ottawa, to report upon the subject of the proposed light house on Passage Island (not Point Gray), Howe Sound. We congratulate the Department upon this additional evidence of a disposition to attend to the wants of the so much neglected Pacific Province; and we would, at the same time desire to remind the Minister of Marine, as he passes in his dolphin-drawn chariot, of the wants of Nanaimo in that respect. Speaking about Burrard Inlet light, it occurs to us to remark that we have been led to believe Point Atkinson the proper site for it.

PASSENGERS BOOKED.---Following are the names of the passengers who are booked for San Francisco by the Prince Alfred to sail to-day:---A. Mayer, D. Lewis, Mrs. J. S. Clute and 3 children, Miss Clarkson, E. H. Sanders, wife and four children, J. Moore, J. W. Rowland, G. A. Fowler, P. Clavrey, A. Levy, W. H. Oliver, W. Herrick, A. Garesche, G. Lange, W. O. Clarke, Miss Lange, Henry Edwards and wife, S. Jones, G. Griffith, W. Borphy, and W. Paddam.

TOO BAD.---The organ is highly indignant at us for not having noticed three announcements in the *Gazette*, which it regards as "of peculiar interest and calculated to be of vast benefit to the Province." And what does the reader think they were? ☞ The bogus assisted immigration scheme; the Pilot Regulations; and the startling announcement that Court will be held in Kootenay some time in October!!

GRASPING AT STRAWS. -- The Government have made another of those ridiculous attempts to stave off their inevitable doom which have become so common of late. Persons desirous of having servants brought out under an assisted immigration scheme are invited to apply---not that the Government pledge themselves to do anything, but merely for information. Surely the saving clause was unnecessary.

DECEIVED.—Amongst the passengers who will leave by the Prince Alfred today are several who were induced to come to the Province through the false representations of the Government Agent at San Francisco. They will, we fear, make it "hot" for the Province through the California papers. Thus do trickery and fraud always defeat themselves.

THE Esquimalt landing is open,--some wild spirit, not having the fear of the intellectual giant who runs the Lands & Works, or of the contractor, before his eyes, having knocked away the obstruction.

TOWING.---The steamer Isabel will tow the bark Glympse and the steamer Goliah will tow the ship Cuba down from Burrard Inlet to-day.

Washington Territory.

[From the Intelligencer.]

The Walla Walla *Union* says, in speaking of the contemplated Seattle and Walla Walla Railroad: "From conversation with our people, of every class and calling, we have no hesitancy in saying that there never has been a railroad project suggested that met with half so much favor with our people, and especially the farmers of this country."

On Friday 16th inst., Lung Yow, the young Chinaman who, last winter, decoyed one of his countrymen away from town and then shot, and it is supposed robbed him, was hanged in the jail yard of Walla Walla county.

Mrs. Celia A. Blake, wife of Charles Blake died in Port Townsend, on the 17th inst. This lady was the first white person born in Jefferson County.

Mr. Steve Hilton, who has been living on the Chehalis of late, and is quite well known on the Sound, died at Steilacoom on the 19th inst.

The two model Commissioners for the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, left Tacoma on Tuesday night for the East, having been summoned by the Board of Directors to---*give reason for depreciating the bonds of the Company at home and abroad!*

STEAM SEWING MACHINES.---A toy steam engine, which can be carried in one's pocket, has been invented to drive sewing machines. It derives its steam through a small india-rubber tube from a half-gallon boiler, heated by a gas jet or a kerosene flame, the presure being so trifling as to involve no risk of explosion. A wire from the throtle valve is attached to the treadle, by means of which the power may be regulated, from the slowest rate of motion up to a speed unattainable by human muscles, its oscillations being almost too rapid to be counted. The New York *World* thinks this may be regarded as a sanitary improvement of no small importance. And there can be no doubt that any mechanical contrivance to dispense with the incessant strain of the sewing machine upon a certain set of muscles will be an inestimable boon to a large number of women whose health is greatly jeopardized by the present mode of operating.

CANADA.---The Royal Commission will sit at Ottawa. Judges Draper, Day and Richards are expected to be the Royal Commissioners, although Vice-Chancellor Blake is spoken of. Sir Hugh Allan, J. C. Abbott and Sir Francis Hincks had an interview with Sir John on the 16th inst. A reaction is taking place in favor of the Government, and their friends confidently assert that when Sir John show his hand it will be all trumps. Hon. Mr. Tilley, Finance Minister, goes to England to-morrow, and will be knighted before he returns.

At the opening sitting of the Wesleyan Conference at Newcastle, England, there were four candidates for the Presidency. The result of the voting was as follows: Rev. G. Smith, 9; Rev. Dr. Punshon, 10; Rev. Alex. McAulay, 77; Rev. G. T. Perks, 320. Mr. Perks is therefore the President. The Rev. Gervase Smith was elected Secretary by 182 votes. There were two other candidates for the office, Dr. James and the Rev. Mr. Williams, who obtained respectively 100 and 29 votes.

WAXING INDIGNANT. — The *Mainland Guardian* has an article upon the subject of the proposed land sales, wherein it appeals to the people to petition the Governor against what it regards as an outrage and a calamity. We fear there would be little use in petitioning a Governor surrounded by such admirers.

BARONESS BURDETT COUTTS, and Mr. Coulthurst, senior partner in Coutt's bank, have each given £15,000 to form a fund for the widows and orphans of those who die in the employ of the bank.

THE steamer Sir James Douglas will not sail for the East Coast until to-morrow, returning on Saturday. Next week, whilst the Douglas will be engaged in mooring the Fraser River buoys, the Isabel will go up the Coast.

THE steamer North Pacific arrived from Puget Sound at the unusually early hour of 10:45 yesterday morning, bringing 60 passengers, a quantity of live stock and the mail. She will sail at 11 o'clock this morning.

THE steamship Prince Alfred arrived on Sunday afternoon with 266 tons of freight and 78 passengers. The passenger list has already appeared. She will sail for San Francisco at 6 p. m., to-day.

WHISKY SELLING.—At Alderley, Lake District, on Thursday last, before justices G. H. Wilson Brown and A. C. Anderson, Esqs., J. P., W. Jackson was fined $25 and costs, or three months imprisonment, for selling liquor to Indians.

IMPORTANT SALE AT COWICHAN.---Passengers leaving by the Sir James Douglas to-morrow morning will arrive at Cowichan Bay in time to attend the sale at Archdeacon Reece's farm on the same day.

DISCHARGING.—The bark Windermere has commenced discharging cargo at Janion Rhodes & Co'o wharf. The packages appear to be in splendid order—not stained or damaged in the slightest.

SENATOR CARRALL is in England; not to return until the next meeting of Parliament.

MADAME ANNA BISHOP appeared at Steilacoom last evening.

THE Maude goes to New Westminster to-day.

THE Enterprise is being dismantled.

STITCH! STITCH! STITCH!—But no longer with fingers weary and worn. For the justly celebrated "Lockman Sewing Machine" can be had of the undersigned. This machine has more points of excellence than any other yet invented. In simplicity of construction, perfection of workmanship, ease of working, durability cheapness and many other valuable qualities, it stands unequalled. Sold at Canadian prices, by BROWN & WHITE, new Dry Goods Store, Fort Street, Sole agents for Vancouver Island. *

A. GILMORE has just received a large assortment of Canadian and English Custom-made Clothing, which he will sell at Reduced Prices; therefore the public are invited to call and select for themselves and make their purchases before going elsewhere. * *

A Card---To the People of British Columbia.

The undersigned having been induced to come to British Columbia with a view to settlement upon the representations made by the Agent of the Province at San Francisco, feel called upon to publicly express our surprise and extreme dissatisfaction on account of the treatment we have received at the hands of the Government.

Arriving on the 9th July, we were informed at the Land Office that nothing could be done till after the 20th. Since the 20th and till quite recently, we have been put off with the assurance that power to make free grants would soon be obtained; until at last we have come to the conclusion that the whole thing was a swindle, and have determined to leave a country in which we would fain have made homes for ourselves and for others whom we represent. We cannot refrain from expressing our conviction of the *cruelty* as well as the extreme impolicy of inducing people to come here on promises which the Governmen appear in no way prepared to make good.

It is not alone in regard to free grants that we have found it impossible to obtain any satisfactory information at the Land Office.

JOHN W. REED.
JOHN H. BENOIST.
HARVEY M. WARBUTON.

VICTORIA, Aug. 25th, 1873.

The Feeling in Lillooet.

LILLOOET, Aug. 18.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I see in the Government Lyre of Aug. 6th a communication signed "Lillooet," in reply to which I wish to state that there is no truth in the article. The whole is a misstatement. The writer was one of the survey party and was laughing when he was in Lillooet about how he (not the people) had praised the Government. Mr. Humphreys stands well in the estimation of his constituents—far better than the junior member for the District.

NOT A VOTER.

The Fisheries Question.

Near Appointment of the Joint Commission---The Relative Values of Fishing in American and Dominion Waters.

WASHINGTON, August 14th.—Treaty of Washington provides that a Joint Commission should be appointed by Great Britain and the United States, to determine the relative value of the New England and the Dominion fisheries, and under the terms of that treaty this Commission must now soon be appointed. It was provided that one Commissioner should be appointed by the United States, one by Great Britain and the third by both nations together.

The British authorities maintain that the right to free fishing in the Dominion waters is a grant much more valuable to American fishermen than the corresponding grant of free fishing to Dominion men in American watrs. The demonstration in this matter involves] the consideration of the question of the "marine league." The law officers of the Crown insisted that under the treaty the term "marine league" is three miles into the sea, measured from headland to headland, This would exclude our fishermen from valuable bays and inlets. Our Government and notably Caleb Cushing, has insisted that the initial point of a "marine league" must in all instances be the shore line, and that the forbidden territory embraces the waters comprehended within the limit which was bounded by a line three miles from and parallel with the shore. This has already once nearly brought the two nations into war.

Recent advices from the Dominion indicate that the Canadians do not place less importance on their fisheries than on ours.

Our Government considers that irrespective of the question of a "marine league," the right to the free entry of Canadian fish into the United States is of itself a more valuable grant than the privilege of free fisheries on Canadian waters.

Terrible Catastrophe in England.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—This morning's mail brings full details of the railway disaster at Wigan, England, on the London and Northwestern railroad, on the morning of Saturday, August 2d, and the leading features of which the cable gave a summary, and in which Sir John Anson lost his life. The number almost instantly killed, or taken out for dead in the course of the forenoon, was ten; the number wounded was twenty-six, of whom one, John Foster, of Oxford, died the same day, and Robert Goodman was reported dead the next Monday. A little boy also died on Monday afternoon. The tourist train was speeding northward, and dashing on, drawn by the engine of a rate not much less than forty miles an hour, when suddenly a wrench shook all the carriages from the first to the last, and while eighteen of the number kept the rails, the others in the rear, three vans, parted suddenly from the foremost portion of the train, and took the siding at the points where the down line is crossed obliquely. The detached carriages veered over against that portion of the platform, which abuts on the siding, and plowed the flags and earth up for a length of twenty and thirty yards. The leading carriage, which was of composite construction, leaped the metals and bounded upon the platform, throwing itself up in mid-air, and alighting bottom uppermost. This carriage was smashed into a thousand splinters. The two succeeding carriages sprung from the metals to the platform and fell over with a terrific crash upon their sides. One or two others leaned almost completely over a few yards beyond, blacking the siding and smashing themselves into indescribable wrecks. One corner of the wall, from which springs the roof of the station house, was struck and knocked out of plumb for several yards. A long length of thick brick wall adjoining, built between the the railway and Queen street, which is five or six yards below the level of the railway was partly knocked down, and large fragments of one of the carriages, as well as the mangled body of a female passenger, were hurled over the wall, falling upon and through a slated roof.

European Mail Summary.

A man named Reuben Allender Berson, who calls himself a graduate in honours, and is certainly a man of attainments, was sentenced in London to five years' penal servitude for bigamy. He seems to have passed his life in marrying and seducing women. He was twice married legally, and once by a quasi-legal ceremony; was once convicted under the Bastardy Act, and was found when arrested to be engaged or on the point of engagement to thirty women. The most extraordinary fact about his career is that he taught one of his victims, an Irish servant-girl named Morgan, whom he cheated by a mock marriage, Arabic, and during his detention before trial wrote to her in that tongue asking her to perjure herself to save him, and to bring him some tobacco. The poor girl, in simple perplexity, consulted her employer as to what should be done, and he forwarded the whole matter to the Treasury. This is not the case merely of an educated criminal, but of a criminal who must have taken enormous pains to educate one of the humblest of his victims for no apparent purpose, unless he intended utimately to fly to Syria.

The Select Committee of the House of Lords appointed to inquire into the Supply of Horses in England has reported that it has been proved there is an increasing demand and a diminished supply and they suggest that Government prizes should be offered for sound stallions, and that taxes upon horses kept by farmers should be repealed.

One hundred police constables, out of the total force of 140, at Dundee, have given notice of resignation, in consequence of their request for increased pay not having been complied with.

An extraordinary meeting of the Alexandra Palace Company was held for the purpose of increasing the capital of the company. A resolution that the nominal capital of the company be increased from £550,000 to £700,000 was carried.

The Queen has answered the address which Mr. Richard carried in the House of Commons, praying her to instruct Lord Granville to take steps for the establishment of a general and permanent system of International Arbitration, very drily. She is "sensible of the force of the philanthropic motives which have dictated" the address. She has always been anxious to extend the practice of settling quarrels by arbitration. And she will "continue to pursue a similar course, with due regard to time and opportunity, when it shall seem likely to be attended with advantrge,"—a very safe promise. Mr. Richard's prayer is plainly not granted. It is politely ignored.

A Coroner's inquest was held at Abinger Hall, near Dorking, upon the body of the Bishop of Winchester, when a verdict of "Accidental Death" was returned.

A lady, living at Brompton, died from injuries sustained by burning, her clothes having caught fire through her treading upon a lucifer match lying upon the carpet of her drawing room.

Mr. Broadhead, of trade-union notoriety, is before the Divorce Court on the petition of his wife.

The Prince and Princess de Vismis have lost a child, aged four years, by a similar accident to that which befel a son of the Princess Royal lately. In this last case it appears the child was looking out of an upstairs window when the iron guard gave way, and he fell some twenty feet, and died in a few hours after.

At Monk's Farm, Coggeshall, two sisters, named Kate and Mary Denniss, lived with their brother, and one morning, the sisters were playing with each other in the house when Mary said to her sister, "I will shoot you," and at once seized the gun and shot her sister, killing her instantly.

Mr. Monckton, a solicitor, was elected Town Clerk of the City of London. The salary attached to the office is 1,500 per annum.

Dominion Mail Summary.

FORT GARRY, Aug. 12.---It is understood that the Lieutenant-Governor has sent tobacco to the tribes of Indians inhabiting the Lake of the Woods region, inviting them to meet him at the north-west angle on 11th of next month. About 2,500 Indians are expected to be present.

Building operations are going on here more rapidly than ever, but they are not equal to the great demand for houses.

Another attempt has been made by the Americans to kidnap Gordon. He has left Headingly, where he was staying. Great indignation is felt at the repeated efforts to put our laws at defiance.

OTTAWA, Aug. 12.---The Governor-General will arrive to-morrow. His Excellency will occupy the Speaker's chamber in the House of Commons during his stay, which is fixed for three days.

It seems pretty well established that the wicked and malicious rumour of Sir John Macdonald's suicide, which obtained credence through a great portion of Canada and the United States, was started by Mr. Huntington.

The Opposition does not, in reality, expect anything but prorogation, as may be gathered from the fact that Geordie Brown is not here; but they have brought very large trunks with them and have induced the host of Russell House to advertise for extra servants.

MONTREAL, Aug. 12.

Those who profess to be well informed say that his Excellency the Governor-General will certainly prorogue Parliament to-morrow. The next act it is said will be at once to constitute a tribunal for the taking of evidence Mr. Huntington has to offer. The enquiry will be with open doors, and immediately after the evidence is completed, Parliament will be called together to receive and deal with the case.

Yesterday an employe of the Metropolitan Bank lost $14,000, on his way to deposit it at another bank.

HALIFAX, Aug. 11.

The citizen's picnic at McNab's Island yesterday in honour of Earl and Countess Dufferin was a complete success; fully 3,000 people attended.

The Provincial Government Ball to his Excellency the Governor and the Countess on Friday evening was very successful, about 250 persons were present, and the Provincial Building where the ball was held, was gorgeously fitted up and draped for the occasion, and presented a beautiful appearance.

Articles of agreement proposed by Biglin for a race with Geo. Brown on Bedford Basin for $1000 were received on Saturday night. The 28th August is set down for the race. Brown has agreed to the proposal, and much interest is being taken in the forthcoming event. Other races for that day are expected.

The comparative statement of the Nova Scotia coal trade for the first six months of the present year shows an increase in coal raised over the same period of last year of 183,500, and an increase in sales of 696,000 tons.

The bark Eyr sailed for London yesterday with a cargo of 16,174 cases canned lobsters.

The reports from the Labrador fishery are encouraging and the local fisheries of Nova Scotia are prosperous this season.

OTTAWA, Aug. 9—The official *Gazette* of to-day publishes the order in Council of Her Majesty's Government passed upon receipt of addresses from the Legislatures of Canada and Prince Edward Island, and in accordance with those addresses, fixing the 1st day of July as the date upon which the union shall take effect. The addresses of the several Legislatures are also published.

FORT GARRY, Manitoba, Aug. 8. — The bazaar held in the Courthouse on Thursday and Friday in aid of the general hospital was a grand success, the proceeds amounting to over $1200.

Lord Gordon has suddenly disappeared. It is said he has gone west to the Rocky Mountains or British Columbia. A party arriving from the West to-day report having met him with a large escort about 100 miles west.

A party of Russian Mennonites are forming a settlement in Ontario, and a Polish settlement is being established in the Ottawa Valley.

Referring to the heartless rumor about the death of the Premier, the Halifax *Express* says:—"and the truth, when it came, was this: Sir John was bathing—he was chatting gayly with his friends—he said good-bye, as hundreds do under similar circumstances every day, when he was about to dive in deep water—he remained too long under water, waited for by his friends; but 'came up smiling,' as he always does, to allay their fears, in perfect health and safety. And from this playful circumstance arose the rascally rumor of his suicide. 'Suffering from delirium,' indeed!---when he was chatting to his friends. 'Depressed in mind,' indeed---when he was engaged in the youthful and cheerful pleasure of bathing, taking 'headers' like a boy, and preparing like a healthy bodied and minded man for the labors of the rest of the year."

The Ottawa *Citizen* says: We have much pleasure in announcing that Col. Coffin has been appointed Commissioner of Ordinance and Admiralty Lands. His many friends will be pleased to hear of his well-deserved promotion.

ORILLA, Aug. 9---A frightful railway accident occurred to-day between Orilla and the Narrows bridge on the Atherly, about two miles from the former village. The catastrophe took place on the Midland Railway, about 1:15 p.m. It appears the gravel train was running at a moderate rate through the swamp and ran over two cows, which would persistently keep in the track. The engine passed over them without sustaining any apparent damage, but the van which contained the laborers succeeding it was not so fortunate, as it was by some means forced off the track and the gravel cars broke into it, killing instantly two men named respectively James Stevens and Toovall Lake. A Norwegian from Muskoka, one of the injured, has since died. The following are injured it is feared fatally: Thos. Darby, Geo. Campbell, Bart Conners, W. Underwood and two others whose names have not been ascertained. Several more are injured slightly. Doctors Corbett and Elliott were promptly in attendance at the scene of the sad occurrence. Numbers also arrived from Orilla, bringing with them Doctors Little and Moore. 'Busses, buggies, etc., were also provided without delay for the injured men and in fact every attention was at once rendered for their immediate relief by the people from Orilla and Atherly.

Central Asia.

First Consequences of the Capture of Khiva —Anglo-Indian Policy in the Premises.

It is stated, our Cabul correspondent informs us, that a Russian aggression on Herat is imminent. Khiva has been taken possession of and speedy arrangements are being made to enter Herat. It is rumored that Sirdar Abdulrahman Khan is employed in the Russian army, and has turned a Christian with the sole view of obtaining pecuniary and military aid. The Russians questioned him, it appears, as to his real motives for his change of religion, and he is said to have replied that it was for the purpose of regaining his lost territories, and that he aspired to a seat on the throne of his father in Cabul. It is rumored that the Russians promised to assist him.

The rumors as to the approach of the Russians in the direction of Herat evidently have emanated from Abdulrahman. It is stated in Cabul that he, Abdulrahman Khan, wrote to the Amir of Cabul on the subject of his interview with the Russian commander, advising the Amir that if he had any regard for his life to abdicate the Cabul throne in his favor. The Amir, on receipt of the letter, it is stated by our correspondent, was much depressed in mind, and immediately addressed the Government of India, at the same time soliciting them to supply assistance in the event of a collision taking place.

In every city, it is rumored, an English army will soon be dispatched to Gabul and Herat to support the Amir.—*Lahore, Punjab, Times, June 6th.*

The Race Growing More Long-Lived.

Items of vital statistics recently published in Europe are cited in confirmation of the generally received opinion that the duration of human life is at present greater than in past centuries. Thus, it is stated that in Geneva, Switzerland, registers have been kept of the yearly average of human longevity since 1590. In that year it is given at twenty-two years and six months. At present it is over forty years. The tables compiled by life assurance companies in England, and adopted in this country, are said to show a similar result. In the fourteenth century, the average annual mortality in the city of Paris was one in sixteen; it is now given as about one in thirty-two. In all England, in 1690, the rate of mortality was one in thirty-three; as now given, it is about one in forty-two.

WE wonder what induces David Green the Clothier, of Government street, to advertise, as everyone is aware that he keeps he best fashionable made clothing store north of San Francisco. * *

GLAN MOR SEA BATHING. — Anyone wanting real good sea bathing (and who does not at this season of the year?) will find a magnificent beach, tepid water, lovely view and sheltered from the cold Victoria winds, at the contemplated townsite of Glan Mor. Turning in on the right at Elk Lake there is a road which leads to the spot. We would advise the public to take their tents and judge for themselves. * * *

SUMMER GOODS.---By the Prince Alfred Turner, Beeton & Tunstall have received some beautiful Novelties in Summer costumes, Elizabeth Ruffles, Lace Goods, Flowers, &c. &c. *

The Beginnings of Sickness.

Never trifle with what are called small ailments. A disorder easy of control at first, if neglected for a few weeks may become a mortal disease. Be especially careful not to let debility gain upon you, for it is the door through which all maladies enters the system. If you feel languid, inert, and, to use a common expression, "as if there was no life left in you," resort to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. That great vegetable tonic will supply the vitality you so urgently need. It is nerve food. By its tonic action the stomach is so invigorated that digestion becomes regular, easy, perfect; while its mild, cathartic properties relieve the bowels from obstructions, and its alterative operation beneficially affects all the secretive organs. For the miseries of dyspepsia, and they include almost every unpleasant feeling that belongs to the physical disease and mental wretchedness, this potent tonic is a certain and speedy balm.

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C. Francis Barnard, M. D.

SURGEON DENTIST.

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Victoria, Nov 4, 1871. de5 d&w

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL Monday, the 25th of August, 1873, for the following Pipes for supplying Water to the City of Victoria:

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JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Council, Chambers, Commissioner.
Victoria, B. C. June 5, 1873. je6

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Ball J S	Lowell —
Barclay Miss J	Lomas G L
Banch J J	Lomas J
Barker J	Melville H O
Borde Madame	Meyer H B
Cathcart J	Melmer P
Christensen J	Meys T B
Clendinning J	Morris H
Chapman W J	Molloy G
Carstairs J A	Moore J
Child H	Moore Mrs L L
Cave J M	Murphy —
Chantrell C W	Navarette M
Crow J	Nunn E
Connor E P	Nicld W
Colvin R W	Nelson Mrs C
Collinson Wm	O'Connor T
Crocker H	Ousterlain P
Decks G	Perlin W
Dwyer J	Pollard G
Dolph J N	Pettersen R
Dodson —	Patterson R
Elvin G	Prsmis G
Fehey M	Reid J
M P Miss	Readell H
Fay Miss M	Rudolph H
Fernie W	Smith C L
Ferry J	Simpson J
Franck P	Sears Mrs S
Francis J	Sleighholme E W
Fox G R	Spring Capt W
Gartley G	Sangster C
Grant A	Shultz H
Hickson J C	Smith R W
Harris S	Stevens Mrs M E
Harvey J O	Stelly Mrs
Hixon J F	Turner S
Jacques T	Tracy J C
Jenkins J E	Warner O
John T	Witney R E
Johnson Mrs S	Williamson —
Keddy J	Watson R F
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Kelly P	Wolf L
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Lloyd E	

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Kamloops Flour Mill

THE FLOUR MILLS AT TRANQUILLE have been entirely rebuilt and new machinery introduced under the superintendence of Mr Charles Patch, a firstclass millwright, and will henceforth be known as the Kamloops Flour Mills.

They will be in running order on the 1st of July.

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All orders promptly executed.

WM. FORTUNE.
Kamloops, May 24th, 1873. jy1 3mdw

Municipal.

ANNO TRIGESIMO SEPTIMO.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria.

BY-LAW

Fixing the amount of License to be paid by certain Houses lately outside, but now included, within the City Limits.

JUNE 28TH, 1873.

WHEREAS BY LETTERS PATENT DATED the 9th day of May, A. D. 1873, the Lieutenant Governor in Council extended the limits of the above-mentioned Corporation and defined such limits, whereby the several Taverns hereinafter mentioned became and are included within such limits;

And whereas it is expedient to fix the amount of License to be paid by such Taverns;

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. Each person selling fermented or intoxicating liquor by retail for or at any time during the six months commencing on the First day of July, A.D. 1873, in any of the Taverns hereinafter mentioned, shall for each such Tavern so used by him pay the sum of Thirty-five Dollars for his license.

2. The Taverns hereinbefore referred to are the following, namely:—1. Park Hotel, Beacon Hill Park; 2. Lion Tap, Cedar Hill Road; 3. Rock Bay House, Esquimalt Road; 4. Bridge Tavern, Saanich Road.

3. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Additional Taverns License By-law, 1873."

Passed the Municipal Council the 28th day of June, 1873.

WM. DALBY, Mayor.
WM. LEIGH, C.M.C. jy6

ANNO TRIGESIMO SEPTIMO.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria

BY-LAW

To regulate the duties of the Water Commissioner.

JUNE 28TH, 1873.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT TO REGULATE and define the duties of the Commissioner appointed under "The Corporation of Victoria Waterworks Act, 1873."

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. The said Commissioner shall subject to the approval and control of the Mayor and Council aforesaid, design, construct, build, purchase, improve, hold and generally maintain, manage and conduct, Waterworks and all buildings, matters, machinery and appliances therewith connected or necessary thereto, for the purpose of conducting a sufficient quantity of pure and wholesome water from Elk Lake and Beaver Lake to the adjacent City of Victoria for the use of the inhabitants thereof, and shall examine, consider and decide upon all matters relative thereto.

2. The said Commissioner shall keep separate books and accounts of the receipts and disbursements for or on account of the construction of the said Waterworks distinct from the books and accounts relating to other property, funds, or assets belonging to the said Waterworks, and a record of all his official acts; and all such books and records shall be open to the inspection and examination of the Mayor and Council or any of them, or any person or persons appointed by them for that purpose.

3. The said Commissioner shall, at least twice in each month during the construction of the said Waterworks, attend the Mayor and Council in Committee and report to them in writing the progress of such Waterworks and such information respecting the same as they may require.

4. The said Commissioner shall, on or before the 31st day of December in each year, cause a return to be made to the Mayor and Council of the affairs of the said Waterworks, showing a statement of the amounts of the rents, issues and profits arising from the said Waterworks, the number of tenants supplied with water, the extent and value of the movable and immovable property thereunto belonging, the amount of debentures then issued and remaining unredeemed and uncancelled, and the interest paid thereon or yet due and unpaid, and the state of the sinking fund, the expenses of collection and management and all other contingencies, salaries of officers and servants, the costs of repairs, improvements and alterations, the prices paid for the acquisition of any real estate that may be acquired for the use of the said Waterworks, and generally such a statement of the revenue and expenditure of the said Waterworks as will at all times afford complete knowledge of the state of the affairs of the said Waterworks.

5. The said Commissioner shall give security in bonds to the amount of two thousand dollars, to be approved by the Mayor and Council, for the faithful performance of his duties.

6. The said Commissioner shall, whilst he shall continue to be so employed and during the construction of the said Waterworks, receive as remuneration a salary at the rate of Eighteen Hundred Dollars per annum, payable by equal monthly instalments.

7. The duties of the said Commissioner shall, subject to this By-law, be such as are further defined in "The Corporation of Victoria Waterworks Act, 1873."

8. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The By-law Defining the Duties of the Water Commissioner, 1873."

Passed the Municipal Council this 28th day of June, 1873.

WM. DALBY, Mayor.
WM. LEIGH, C.M.C. jy6

ANNO TRIGESIMO SEPTIMO

MUNICIPAL BY-LAW

To appoint a time and place for hearing complaints against Assessments.

JUNE 28th, 1873.

WHEREAS BY A BY-LAW DATED THE 28th day of May, 1873, the 5th day of June, 1873 was appointed for the return by the Assessor to the Clerk of the Municipality of the Assessment Roll for the year 1873; and whereas the said Roll was returned on that day.

That whereas it is necessary to appoint a time and place for hearing the complaints of such person or persons as may complain of his or their assessments appearing on the said Roll.

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the City or Victoria, B. C, as follows:

That all complaints that may heretofore have been duly made, or which shall hereafter be duly made by by any person or persons of his or their assessments as the same appear in the Assessment Roll for the year 1873, shall be heard at the City Council chambers, Victoria, on Monday, the seventh day of July, 1873, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, or so soon thereafter as the said complaints can be heard.

This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the By-law fixing the date of hearing appeals against Real Estate Assessments.

Passed the Council this 28th day of June, 1873.

WM. DALBY, Mayor.
WM. LEIGH, Clerk to the Municipal Council, B.C.
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ANNO TRIGESIMO SEPTIMO.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria

A BY-LAW

Respecting the Duties and Compensation of the City Surveyor and Engineer of the Waterworks.

JULY 8TH, 1873.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows;

1. The City Surveyor shall execute all surveys and prepare all plans and specifications of works from time to time required by the Mayor and Council of the said City, and superintend, direct and inspect all such works, subject to the approval and control of the said Mayor and Council.

2. The City Surveyor shall also carefully compile and prepare from time to time a record of all surveys and plans so executed and prepared by him, for the use of the Mayor and Council; and all such records, surveys and plans, and the field notes relating thereto shall be the property of the Corporation.

3. The Engineer of the Waterworks shall execute surveys and prepare all plans and specifications of works required in the construction, maintenance or improvement of the Waterworks, and superintend, direct and inspect all such Works, subject to the instructions of the Water Commissioner.

4. The Engineer of the Waterworks shall also, whenever required by the Water Commissioner, examine all or any of the Waterworks already constructed and report to him the condition thereof and any improvements, repairs or alterations that may seem necessary or expedient.

5. All surveys, plans and reports prepared by the Engineer of the Waterworks as aforesaid, and the field notes relating thereto, shall be the property of the Corporation.

6. The compensation or salary of the City Surveyor and Engineer of the Waterworks together for the performance of the duties hereinbefore specified is hereby fixed at the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars per month.

7. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The City Surveyor and Waterworks Engineer By-law, 1873."

Passed the Municipal Council, the 9th day of July, 1873.

WM. DALBY, Mayor.
WM. LEIGH, C.M.C., Victoria, B.C. jy13

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Now, Mr. Editor, I write to ask if such an outrage as this is to be perpetrated on British soil with impunity? I was arrested in a crowded house as if I were a thief or swindler and I wish to ask if I have no redress or remedy at law?

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All the means hitherto employed to relieve Asthma have been only palliatives in varied forms, based on belladona, stramonium, nicotiana, or opium. Recent experiments made in the Paris Hospitals have proved that our Cigarettes made of the extract of Indian Hemp possess remarkable virtues against this complaint, as well as against nervous coughs, chronic laryngitis, hoarseness, loss of voice, facial neuralgia, and insomnia.

Grimault & Co.'s Guarana.

A single powder of this vegetable production is sufficient to cure instantly the most violent sick headache. It is the most valuable remedy against diarrhœa, dysentery, and all disorders proceeding from derangement of the stomach or bowels. This powder is indispensable for all families, and far more efficacious than opium or sub-nitrate of bismuth.

GRIMAULT & Co.'s Vermifuge Santonime Dragees.

Under the form of a comfit, equally pleasing to the taste and to the eye, they supply mothers with an easy and perfectly safe means of relieving their young children from intestinal worms, which are often the cause of convulsions.

Paleness of the skin and frequent irritation of the nose are nearly always the certain signs of the presence of worms. Preference ought always to be given in such cases to these dragees, the composition of which is well known and always the same, instead of those which are called vegetable, but often contain calomel or other forms of mercury.

GRIMAULT & Co.'s Newfoundland Cod Liver Oil, and Cod Liver Oil, with Iodide of Iron.

The Cod-liver Oil which we offer to the professior and the public is especially extracted for our house in Newfoundland, and we can therefore guarantee its altogether exceptional purity.

Our Newfoundland Oil with Iodide of Iron, which contains in every tablespoonful two grains of pure iodide of Iron, is a valuable resource in lymphatic and scrofulous affections, as also in consumption.

☞For Sale at Wholesale and Retail by their Agents for British Columbia,

Langley & Co.

Yates Street,

VICTORIA. mh15

Municipal.

VICTORIA WATER WORKS

UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE CORPORation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873, and the Municipal By-Llaw authorizing the construction of Water Works for the City of Victoria, 1873.

Debentures.

Applications will be received at the office of the undersigned until the 21st day of July for the SECOND ISSUE of Water Works Debentures, and should application be made for more in amount than the issue authorized by the Act, they will be distributed pro rata.

The Debentures will be issued at par as follows, viz:

$10,000..... On 15th May, 1873;
15,000.....On 1st August, 1873;
75,000.....On 1st April, 1874;

Payable in Twenty-five years from the date thereof.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria having the right to repurchase from time to time the said Debentures, for the purpose of withdrawing the same from the market, the numbers of the Debentures so to be repurchased shall be decided by a ballot, of which One Month's notice shall be given, by publication in the Government Gazette or in one or more of the local newspapers. The Debentures will bear interest at the rate of Seven per cent. per annum, payable Half-yearly, and Coupons will be attached to each Debenture for said Interest, which shall be paid on presentation as they become due.

The Security offered for Repayment of Debentures is as follows:

A preferential Lien will be given on all works to be erected, also upon the land and other property acquired for Water Works purposes, and on the Revenue (amounting to about fifty thousand dollars per annum) which the Corporation have the power to raise under the Municipality Act, 1872, and the Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873, the Road Ordinance, 1869, and the Road Amendment Ordinance, 1870. Ample security is thus given to those wishing to invest in Debentures.

A deposit of Ten per cent. on the amount of Debentures applied for will require to be paid into the Bank of British North America to the credit of the Water Works account, a receipt of said deposit to accompany the application, and on the Debentures being issued, they will be placed in the said Bank and handed over to the party who presents the Water Commissioner's Certificate of his being entitled to receive the said Debentures on his paying the full equivalent as mentioned in said Certificate; and in the event of the Debentures not being fully paid for on the day of issue abovementioned, the deposit of the Ten per cent. shall be forfeited to the use of the Water Commissioner for Water Works purposes.

Mr. F. W. Green, C. E., has been appointed by the Corporation as Engineer of the works to be constructed. The proposed Works consist in bringing water from Elk and Beaver Lakes into the City of Victoria, a distance of between five and six miles, and present no Engineering difficulties in carrying out the undertaking.

Forms of application for Debentures, with Bank Deposit Receipt attached, as well as any further information that may be desired, can be had by application personally or by letter addressed to the Commissioner.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
Commissioner

City Council Chambers, Broad St.,
Victoria, 26th April, 1873. } ap27

Corporation of the City of Victoria.

Municipal Notice.

ALL PERSONS OWNING PROPERTY within the extended Limits of the City are hereby requested to make a return of the same to the City Assessor as early as possible, giving the number of the Lot or Lots or Portions of Lots with the measurments; also to name the block or section in which said Lot or Lots are situate, as such returns would probably save the expense add annoyance of appeals to the Court of Revision.

W. LEIGH, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, May 22, 1873. my23

FREDERICK REYNOLDS

FAMILY

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mh10 LONDON MARKET

A CARD.

I HEREBY NOTIFY THE PUBLIC THAT Mr. B. Pattengill, formerly in my employ, is no longer Collector for me for sprinkling the streets with water. He is at the present time engaged in canvassing the city on behalf of Mr. King, to obtain the patronage of my customers previously to the Spring ltid ge Water Works Co. stopping the supply of water for the City. [au16] JAS. KELLY.

The Water Question.

TO THE PUBLIC—I HAVE AUTHORIZed Mr. B. C. Pettingill to receive and solicit Subscriptions for the Sprinkling of the Public Streets on my behalf. I am prepared to fulfil my obligations to my subscribers and pledge myself to continue to sprinkle the streets until the rainy weather sets in.

I respectfully solicit the public patronage.

C. J. KING.
August 15th, 1873. au16

WATER! WATER!!

THE UNDERSIGNED IS NOW PREPARed to supply all orders for water in any part of the city.

Orders left with Mr W. HARRISON, Government street, will meet with prompt attention.

July 15th, 1873. [jy15] C. J. KING.

WONDERFUL DISCOVERY—Corns cured in one day by using ALEX. ROSS'S CHIROPO.—This preparation gradually dissolves the Corn in a few hours. 248 High Holborn, London. To be had of au1 dw LANGLEY & CO., Chemists, Victoria.

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